Queens Supreme Court - Civil Term 88-11 Sutphin Blvd , Jamaica, New York 11435 and

25-10 Court Square, Long Island City, New York 11101

TEMPORARY RELOCATION (Revised)

Effective Monday, March 23, 2020, and until further notice, Queens Supreme Court—Civil Term court operations will temporarily relocate to Queens Civil Court located at 89-17 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, New York 11435, courtroom 301.

As per the Administrative Order of the Chief Administrative Judge of the Courts Lawrence Marks dated March 22, 2020, (AO/78/20), no papers shall be accepted for filing by a county clerk or a court in any matter of a type not included on the list of essential matters below. The directive applies to both paper and electronic filings:

- 1. Mental Hygiene Law (MHL) applications and hearings addressing patient retention or release;
- 2. MHL hearings addressing the involuntary administration of medication and other medical care;
- 3. newly filed MHL applications for an assisted outpatient treatment (AOT) plan;
- 4. emergency applications in guardianship matters;
- 5. temporary orders of protection (including but not limited to matters involving domestic violence);
- 6. emergency applications related to the coronavirus;
- 7. emergency Election Law applications;

- 8. extreme risk protection orders (ERPO);
- 9. any other matter that the Court deems essential.

Emergency applications must be accompanied by an emergency affidavit/affirmation. All applications will be heard by the Emergency Judge sitting in Queens Civil Court, Courtroom 301, after payment of any required filing fee. Applications which require the payment of a filing fee will not be submitted for consideration to the Emergency judge without proof of prior payment of the required filing fee. Filing fees can only be paid at the relocated Office of the Queens County Clerk as set forth below.

Effective **Monday, March 23, 2020**, and until further notice, the Office of the Queens County Clerk will be temporarily relocated to 89-17 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica NY 11435, Room 244. **Filing fees can only be paid at the relocated Office of the Queens County Clerk**. Please note that filing fees are payable to the Queens County Clerk.

If you have any questions, you may contact the court at (718) 298-1140.